FORM SUMMARY

Name of Form: Petition for Confidential Name Change (Adult or Minor

14 or Older)

Form Number: CV-451

Statutory Reference: §§301.45, 786.36 and 786.37, Wisconsin Statutes

Benchbook Reference:

Purpose of Form: To petition for a confidential name change for adults or

minors 14 years of age or older.

Who Completes It: Petitioner

Distribution of Form: Original to court, copy to petitioner.

Accompanying Forms: None

New Form/Modification: New form.

Modifications: Created pursuant to 2011 WI Act 274.

Comments: Petition must be notarized. Clerks of Court and/or Deputy

Clerks are notarial officers. Enter your title and the expiration date of the current Clerk of Courts term of

office.

About this Form: This form is the product of the Wisconsin Records

Management Committee, a committee of the Director of State Court's Office and a mandate of the Wisconsin Judicial

Conference.

If you have additional information that does not change the meaning of the form, attach it on a separate page.

The form itself shall not be altered.

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